UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

TRAVELERS PROPERTY CASUALTY COMPANY OF AMERICA a/s/o Ethical Culture Fieldston School and Ethical Culture Fieldston Case No.: 07 CV 11178

ANSWER TO LANGAN'S CROSS-CLAIMS WITHIN ITS ANSWER TO CROSS-CLAIMS

Plaintiff,

-against-

TISHMAN CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION OF NEW YORK, JOHN CIVETTA & SONS, INC., AMBROSINO, DEPINTO, SCHMIEDER CONSULTING ENGINEERS, P.C., MUNOZ ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING, P.C., COOPER, ROBERTSON & PARTNERS, LLP, and LANGAN ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.

Judge Assigned: Stein, J.

Defendants.
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Defendant MUNOZ ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING, P.C., by its attorneys KAUFMAN BORGEEST & RYAN LLP, as and for its Answer to co-defendant LANGAN ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC's cross-claims contained within its Answer to Cross-Claims of Defendant Munoz engineering and Land Surveying, P.c. with Cross-Claim dated March 20, 2008, states upon information and belief as follows:

## AS AND FOR AN ANSWER TO CIVETTA'S CROSS-CLAIM

1. In answering the Cross-Claim, Defendant, MUNOZ ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING, P.C. denies the allegations contained in paragraph "SIXTH" of the Cross-Claim within the pleading and respectfully refers all questions of law to the Court.

2. In answering the Cross-Claim, Defendant, MUNOZ ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING, P.C. denies the allegations contained in paragraph "SEVENTH" of the Cross-Claim within the pleading and respectfully refers all questions of law to the Court.

WHEREFORE, answering defendant hereby demands judgment dismissing Defendant LANGAN's Cross-Claim herein together with the costs, attorney's fees and such other and further relief as this Court may deem appropriate.

Dated: Valhalla, New York March 20, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing Answer to Langan's Cross-Claims Within Its Answer to Cross-Claims upon following counsel, by placing same in the United States Mail, on this 21st day of March, 2008 and by filing the same electronically with the Court's ECF System:

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I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Dated: Valhalla, New York March 21, 2008

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